

Weymouth. Jan. 16. 1842.

Dear Deborah,

It is late & I am tired, so I cannot write as much as I had designed. I came out of town on Saturday night as I had proposed & had a very cozy time out. My friend, for aught I saw, was perfectly composed & at his ease, & I am sure I was. I found all well, Mr. Looking & appearing very smart. Her eyes do occasionally twinkle her some, but it is because she will use them all the time one way or another. But she is ⁱⁿ union more strength & good spirits. Grand ma's folks all seem comfortable. I was not very smart, so did not go to church on Sunday. Lucia did & heard Charles Spurgeon - In the evening Jewell lectured to a very full house. To day we have all been very busy trying to get Ann ready to go in town to morrow - I believe I mentioned to you that Mrs. B. had asked Emma & Ann to come & stay ^{the} after the meeting, if A. Rehman were - Also Ann is asked to stay there ^{the} the time of the meeting. I made my arrangements to be at her sister's. Little Henry is well, tho' of course troublesome, as I think he always will be. Little Ann is as fat & stout as possible & good as pie. Now for business. I went to Mr. F's this evening to pay your bill hoping to have arranged it all before writing

but I could not. The Dr was away but Mrs
F. offered to settle it & brought down your note.
There was no interest endorsed on it & as I had
much rather settle it with him than her, I asked
her to ask him to make out the interest & I would
pay it then. Don't you think I did right? She
would have reckoned the interest if I wished it,
but I thought on the whole I managed it best. I
shall send you an account of the money by & bye.
Mr G. has sent an account for L. E. & J. It was
in a sealed letter which he gave me. I have
a proposal to make you to which I dare say you
will accede. There will still be I suppose \$30 of your
money left after all is paid. I have \$150. - My idea
is to take \$80 - the amount of yrs & mine, & let
Grandm's folks have it as they need it much.
That will settle the account with them about the
land - about \$20 more will pay off all me and them
& I shall have the land taken in at once. Write
me what you think about it. Saturday even
Caroline & Henry had letters from Wm. He wrote from
N. Y. had arrived there day from Washington, having
arranged his affairs all to his mind, thro' the aid of
Wells & Waller Forward. He was to sail the 14th.
Your collar will not come now, for I had not the
time to go with Caroline to buy it. No one of us
dare take the responsibility of buying it alone. But it
shall come the first chance. as also the copies of G's

not think to send them now. As I am not in
town, of course I can't arrange matters. I send
"the vulgar boy" which fell out last time.

The cold water army have had a meeting to night
at the Universalist meeting speaking pieces at a great
rate. Speak the head men.

My love to the Beanes &
Abbey. I will keep you as faithful to every thing.
yrs ever A. W. W.

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